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Members,

We have taken a very slow, methodical and thorough approach this week to stabilize the situation in Ottawa and work with our partners to formulate a plan.

Yesterday, two organizers were arrested, charged and will be released today.

This morning we began an action's on phase which began with the deployment of our integrated Public Order Unit on Nicholas Street.

Protestors are being advised to leave or they will be arrested. We have seen several protestors lining up to surrender to police.

This phase will not stop until Ottawa has been returned to a state of normalcy for residents and businesses to enjoy. We are asking for everyone's patience and understanding as we expect this to be a long process.

Once a state of normalcy has been achieved, we will begin a maintenance period to ensure we retain control of the city.

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